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A RELIGIOUS WEEKLY

Glory be to Jesus,
Who in bitter pains
Poured for me the life blood
From His sacred veins.

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A DAY OF UNIVERSAL PRAYER FOR PEACE

Sunday, November 24, has been set aside by Pope Pius XII, as a day of universal prayer for peace. In a special Motu Proprio issued for all the world, the Holy Father calls all upon all christians to join with him in praying for the three-fold intention: A peace of justice and charity that will unite all the peoples of the human family as brothers--Eternal Rest for all those who have died as a result of war--Comfort for the exiles, refugees, prisoners of war, and all who suffer or mourn through the calamity of the present conflict.

"Since this cruel struggle instead of abating," declares the Sovereign Pontiff, "continues to gather violence, and Our Voice, pleading for peace, is drowned in the clash of arms, We turn Our minds in trepidation but yet in confidence, to the Father of Mercies and God of all comfort, and implore for the human race more peaceful times from Him Who bends the wills of men, and by His divine direction orders the course of events."

SERIES #3 -- CALVARY AND THE MASS

Christ at Calvary: Calvary was Christ's sacrifice. There alone He offered Himself in love and obedience to His Father. He suffered alone, redeeming us by the shedding of His Blood.

We at Mass: The Mass is our sacrifice united to Christ's. We yet suffer; Christ no longer suffers. The Mass is the continuation of Calvary through space and time. In the Mass Christ invites us to partake in His Calvary -- in its sacrifice, suffering, and in its fruits.

WEEK-END RETREAT --- YOU ARE VERY CONCERNED

Next week-end, as announced in Stuff, the annual retreat begins. It has been a long time since some of you have given any serious reflection or thought to the state of your soul, to your relations with Almighty God. For many of you a week-end retreat is all too short. When we consider the immense amount of time that we give over to worldly pursuits and pleasures, the time is, indeed, too short. It is, therefore, most important that you consider these moments spent in retreat the most important in your life. This may be your last retreat, for the hand of death, sudden and without warning, may strike you before the advent of a new school year. This is a thought worth pondering. Make this retreat as if it were to be your last, and it will be a real success. Your means to make this retreat a decided influence on your life: SILENCE...PRAYER...MEDITATION ON ETERNITY...LISTENING TO THE RETREAT-MASTER WITH AN OPEN MIND AND HEART.

A THOUGHT FOR RETREAT

Life is short --- and death is sure,
The hour of death --- remains obscure,
A soul you have --- and only one,
If that be lost --- all hope is gone.
Waste not your time --- while time shall last,
For after death --- 'tis ever past,
The all-seeing God --- your judge will be,
Or heaven or hell --- your destiny.
All earthly things --- will fleet away,
Eternity --- shall ever stay.

PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR:

The mother of Father Fehrenbacher -- she is critically ill.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

SUN 24: The last Sunday after Pentecost. General Communion today according to the intention of the Holy Father for Peace.

MON 25: Feast of St. Catherine, Virgin, Martyr.

TUES 26: Feast of Sylvester, Abbot.

WED 27: Ferial Wednesday. Mass of preceding Sunday is read.

THURS 28: Ferial Thursday. Mass of the preceding Sunday is read. This evening Confessions at 6:30, immediately after Benediction. Enter Retreat with true peace of mind by making a good, sincere confession.

FRI 29: Vigil of St. Andrew, Apostle. Mass of the Vigil is read.

Sat: 30: The Feast of St. Andrew, Apostle. The brother of St. Peter, Andrew was the first Apostle called by Christ. Confessions this evening, 6:30.

WITH ALL THE OPPORTUNITIES I HAVE

WHY AM I NOT A SAINT?